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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Larry J. Whitener et al.

Art Unit: 2837

Serial No.: 10/700,116

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Examiner: Donels, Jeffrey

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For: PORTABLE VOICE STUDIO

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TRANSMITTAL

- 1. Transmitted herewith is:
 - Amendment in response to the Office Action dated October 4, 2005 (15 pages)
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STATUS

2. Applicant

\square	claims small entity status.
	is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	 The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. 									
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)									
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)									
		Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)						
		first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00						
		second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00						
		third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00						
		fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00						
		fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00						
			Fee:	\$						
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.										
		(Check and complete the n	ext item, if applicable)							
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.										
	Extension fee due with this request \$									
	(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.									

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4.	The fee	e for cla	ims (37 (C.F.R. 1.16(t)-(d)) has l	been calculated as s	hown			
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In response to the Office Action dated October 4, 2005, and made final, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: